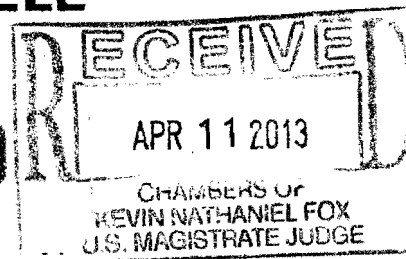


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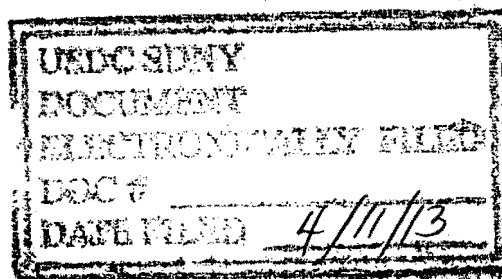
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**MEMO ENDORSED**

April 11, 2013

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The Honorable Kevin N. Fox  
Chief U. S. Magistrate Judge  
Thurgood Marshall United States  
Courthouse  
40 Foley Square  
Courtroom 228  
New York, NY 10007



Re: *Space Exploration Technologies Corp. vs. D.T. Gruelle Company Group, L.L.C.*, Case 1:12-cv-7510-PAE

Dear Judge Fox:

Husch Blackwell LLP, Carlos Rodriguez (*pro hac vice* forthcoming) and the undersigned are counsel for defendant and counter claimant D.T. Gruelle Company Group, L.L.C. ("D.T. Gruelle"). Defendant D.T. Gruelle requests an adjournment of the Settlement Conference which is currently scheduled April 17, 2013, at 10:30 AM over into May 2013. The reason for this request is that the undersigned underwent surgery on April 3, 2013, and will be unable to travel or work at my usual schedule for up to four weeks. Based on my recovery to date, I will certainly be unable to travel, prepare for and attend the scheduling conference next week.

Pursuant to the Court's Individual Practice 1 E, the undersigned states as follows: (1) the current date of the Settlement Conference is April 17, 2013; (2) the reason for this request is counsel just underwent surgery, and needs additional time because he is unable to travel and work at his usual schedule; (3) this is the first request for extension from D.T. Gruelle for an adjournment of the Settlement Conference, although Plaintiff and Counter-defendant Space Exploration Technologies Corp. ("SpaceX") has requested adjournments in the past; (4) adversary counsel consents to this request for an adjournment. This request, if granted, would not likely affect any future proceedings.

4/11/13  
Application granted.  
The settlement conference  
will be held on May 21, 2013,  
at 10:30 a.m. in courtroom  
228, 40 Centre Street, New York,  
New York.

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SO ORDERED:  
Kevin Nathaniel Fox, U.S.M.J.

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The Honorable Paul A. Engelmayer  
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